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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE WATER USERS OF DISTRICT NO. 36-C HELD OCTOBER 6, 1937, at SEVEN O'CLOCK P.M.

This meeting was called as a result of various meetings with different committees sent from District No. 36-C to the lower valley to meet with committees representing the lower Teton River water users. Mr. Virgil Penfold was appointed chairman of this meeting and a thorough explanation and discussion of our problems was given by him. After a thorough discussion by all those attending the meeting, it was found necessary to appoint a committee authorized with power to enter into agreements with the lower users whereby the water users of 36-6 could secure sufficient water storage to take care of the Teton Basin irrigation problems each year when the time arrives for the adjusting of the water decrees in accordance with priority, and also the matter of the abandoning of the Irrigation District No. 36-C and the Teton Basin water users becoming a part of District No. 36. It was unanimously agreed at this meeting, which was composed of a fair representation of the water users of the entire District No. 36-C that our water problems should be solved fair enough in advance of each irrigation season so that the difficulties that we have experienced in the past could be obviated by more thorough understanding and closer cooperation with the lower users.

It was clearly realized that in the future our water would be adjudicated in accordance with the existing decrees and it was further realized that a committee composed of a representative from each of the main irrigation drainage areas mainly Trail Creek, Darby Creek, Teton Creek, South Leigh Creek, North Leigh Creek, and Badger Creek, should be appointed or elected with power to enter into agreements and in general do the needed necessary business connected with solving our problems with the lower users. Therefore, the following men were duly nominated and elected to serve on this committee until further change: Virgil Penfold, F. C. Gillette, O. O. Knight, John Buxton, James R. Hansen, and L. W. Hastings.

Chairman Penfold further stated that the first meeting would be held at the Rexburg Court House at eight o'clock P.M. October 8, 1937, and expressed his desire that all members of the committee be sure to attend.

It is ordered that this meeting do now adjourn.

ATTEST!

Secretary Secretary

Chairman

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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMITTEES REPRESENTING THE WATER USERS OF DISTRICT NO. 36-C HELD AT THE REXBURG COURT HOUSE OCTOBER 8, 1937, AT EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

The following members of the committee elected at the last meeting of the water users of District No. 36-C attended a joint meeting with the committee of the lower users of the Teton River at Rexburg: Virgil Penfold, F. C. Gillette, John Buxton, James R. Hansen, and L. W. Hastings. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the committee of the lower users, Mr. Martin Knave.

After a thorough discussion of all problems, it was generally decided that our first step of importance should be the abandoning of District No. 36-C and the petitioning of the Commissioner of Reclamation to so abolish District No. 36-C and the same be added to District No. 36.

IN THE MATTER OF SECURING STORAGE FOR REPLACING OF WATER WHEN CALLED ON BY THE OLDER USERS:

It was unanimously decided in this meeting that the secretary of the lower Teton users would make application for at least 12,000 acre feet of water to be rented for the year 1938 for the benefit of the Teton Basin users.

IN THE MATTER OF MEASURING WATER IN THE VARIOUS STREAMS TO DETERMINE THE LOSS IN TRANSIT FROM THE VARIOUS DIVERSION POINTS TO WHERE THE SAME WOULD REACH LIVE WATER:

It was moved by F. C. Gillette that the committee of the lower users together with the committee of the Teton Valley users start a measuring system as early in the spring of 1938 as possible whereby data would be accumulated leading to a foundation to determine the amount of loss that would be incurred should the rights be cut and the water diverted down the old dry stream channels in Teton Valley. This matter was thoroughly discussed and the motion was seconded by Martin Knave and it was so ordered that at the proper time such steps would be taken as early in the spring as the run-off starts. After a unanimous expression of cooperation in these matters was had by all members of the two committees, adjournment was ordered.

ATTEST:

L. U. Hostings

Chairman